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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Charles R. SLATER

Application No.: 10/626,599

Filed: July 25, 2003

For: BIPOLAR ENDOSCOPIC
SURGICAL SCISSOR BLADES
AND INSTRUMENT
INCORPORATING THE SAME

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) Group Art Unit: 3739
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) Examiner: M. Peffley
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) Confirmation No.: 9736
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MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

AMENDMENT

In reply to the Office Action dated October 13, 2005, please amend the
application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification are included in this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks follow the amendment sections of this paper.